

IDS Form PTO/SB/08: Substitute for form 1449A/PTO				Complete if Known	
INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT <i>(Use as many sheets as necessary)</i>				Application Number	10/566,494
Sheet	1	of	1	Filing Date	August 29, 2006
				First Named Inventor	TAGAWA, Kazuo
				Art Unit	1797
				Examiner Name	VASISTH, Vishal V.
				Attorney Docket Number	07481.0045-00000

U.S. PATENTS AND PUBLISHED U.S. PATENT APPLICATIONS

Examiner Initials	Cite No. ¹	Document Number Number-Kind Code ² (if known)	Issue or Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
/V.V.J		US-2007/0032391	02-08-2007	Tagawa et al.	

Note: Submission of copies of U.S. Patents and published U.S. Patent Applications is not required.**FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS**

Examiner Initials	Cite No. ¹	Foreign Patent Document Country Code ³ Number ⁴ Kind Code ⁵ (if known)	Publication Date MM-DD-YYYY	Name of Patentee or Applicant of Cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	Translation ⁶
/V.V.J		WO/01-02519	01/11/01	Shimomura		Abstract
/V.V.J		JP 2002-38175	02/06/02	Shimomura		Abstract
/V.V.J		JP 2003-96481	04/03/03	Seki		Abstract
/V.V.J		JP 08-48990	02/20/96	Takigawa		Abstract
/V.V.J		JP 2000-256692	09/19/00	Sakagami		Abstract

NONPATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials	Cite No. ¹	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city and/or country where published.	Translation ⁶
/V.V.J		INTERNATIONAL SEARCH REPORT dated October 21, 2008 of PCT JP 2004/010840 cited in the copending US application No. 10/565,739	

Examiner Signature	/Vishal Vasisth/	Date Considered	08/05/2010
--------------------	------------------	-----------------	------------

EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 609. Draw line through citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.